



City of Burien 2015 State and Federal Legislation Agenda

TOP PRIORITIES

1. Transportation

- Support a statewide transportation revenue package that includes \$10.3M for the SR 518 interchange project in Burien, and:
 - A local option revenue package
 - Additional TIB funding so that more local projects can move ahead.

2. Local Revenues

- Support reinstatement of state shared revenues to cities, including liquor profits and taxes, and the Public Works Assistance Account.
- Support sharing recreational marijuana revenues with cities.
- Support new revenue authority for cities, if a state revenue package is developed.

3. Capital Budget Project

- Advocate for 2015 capital budget project for Burien.

Federal Government

1. FAA Airport Property Redevelopment Pilot Program

- Continue work with the FAA to ensure that a \$5M appropriation is forthcoming to Burien by September 2015.

2. MAP-21 Reauthorization

- Support the inclusion of the TIGER CUBS legislation, or similar legislation in the 2015 Congressional reauthorization of MAP-21, that creates federal transportation grants to mid-sized cities.

OTHER PRIORITIES

1. Climate Change

- Monitor climate change legislation for impacts to Burien.

2. Mental Health/Psychiatric Boarding

- Support adequate funding for, and monitor the mental health discussion, particularly the psychiatric boarding, for impacts to Burien.

3. File Local/Local B&O and Business License Portal

- Support the continued development of the File Local Portal, scheduled for completion in spring, 2015.

4. Public Defense Costs

- Support city efforts to provide a state revenue stream for additional city public defense costs as a result of the state Supreme Court's mandated caseloads rule for public defenders.

5. Public Records Cost Recovery

- Support public agency efforts to obtain cost recovery for harassing and abusive public records requests that exceed public agency, and Burien's, ability to pay for.